Woman's greatest concession lies in orgiving a man for her own offense.

In her energetic search for troubl fungary appears to be getting

Victims of hay fever might be per manently cured of it by going to the

Alive to the exigencies of the times. the Russians have just discovered a new way to commit murder.

What is the difference between Langley and Santos-Dumont? Never mind sending in the answer,

Grim old Oom Paul, tragic wanders from the Transvaal, is in lonely retire ment at Mentone-a sad reminis

Prince Alert has taken time by the

forelock and given it a clover hafrout than it ever before received-a 1:57 And now Mrs. Fish declares that

Harry Lehr is "an ordinary person." Surely this is the most unkindest cut

The experts to the contrary not-withstanding, we hadn't noticed that the number of "lobsters" had perceptibly decreased. Milwaukee and Cleveland have had

flatiron buildings for years, but those cities depend on other things to make themselves famous. Persons who think that football

players are all beef and brawn, with so brains should take a day off and try to learn the signals. Poor Maj. Delmar! All he known

about his wonderful performance in equaling Lou Dillon's record is that it made him awfully tired. Just because Sir Thomas did not

have to have an operation performed, all Chicago is talking about its wonderful health-producing climate. The child that was christened in a lions' den will never become famous.

enough to be donized again, if there is anything in the doctrine of hered-It is well that the Alaskan boundary question has come up when so many other things are going on. Few peo-ple are asking to have it explained to

George Vanderbill is to leave Biltmore because his employes pilfer. Times must be ominous when George is compelled to practice such close

Attorney General Pinley talked for two days in the Alaskan boundary dispute. The United States made a great istake in not retaining Senator Mor-

an honest man fails because he is a poor advertiser." Mr. Wanamaker is perfectly frank as to the secret of

If the time ever comes when novelists form a union, perhaps shall have the Great Amalgamated American Novel with the fifteen dif-

The new game law, punishing the hunter who happens to mistake a man for a partridge, may afford some con not benefit the lately deceased.

The Duke of Roxburghe says he i rich in his own right and wholly independent of Miss Goelet's millions. What a good time these young people will have spending each other's

Geographer Reclus and Aeronaut Capuzza are rapidly preparing for their balloon voyage across the Atlantic. It is to be hoped that these daring scientists will not fall down when they are half seas over.

Mr. Choate is now dean of the dip lomatic corps in London. With an american dean of the diplomatic corps and a new American ducness added to the list every few days, how can they keep us down?

whom her mother had chosen for her, Miss Daisy Crouse of Amsterdam, N. Y., eloped with a Mr. Smith, Not every cirl makes a like choice when a title of noi-lilty dangles before her eyes.

It is said to be on the program to have the assassins of King Alexander convicted and then pardoned by King Peter. The king may know a good thing when he sees it and refuse the pardon after he has the assassins safely locked up.

The backer of the enterprise to bring Patti to this country has put up \$40,000 as a guaranty of his sublim faith in the memory of the people of this country for singers who may est be said to have come down to us from a former generation.

When a man says he is worried ove his business his wife seems to think it wouldn't be that way if he took her advice about wearing a muffler when he went out in the evening.

Eleven babies an hour are born or Manhattan Island and it cannot said that they are very particular about selecting their birthplace.

If the price of steel trust securities shall continue to decline Mr. Carnegie may be forced to the extremity of call-

ing in some of his libraries A correspondent wants to know it elet, who is to become the duchess of Roxburghe, is handsome No woman with \$49,900,000 in her own

Wu Ting-fang, it is reported, one spiated suicide, but magnini-r refrained out of consideration

rest of the human race. there not danger that some con come forward with some thing uglier than "Hiswatha"

TWO SUICIDES AT STURGEON

Sturgeon, Mo.: Sturgeon and two sicides last Priday night.

Charles Burgess Lindsey, 53 en ettleen ne mile south of town, committed sufide at the Keith Hope! by taking an once of landanum. He came here wes Mount Sterling, Ky. He was a rother of J. H. Lindsey, a prominent ser, living near bown.

The suicide left a letter, in which he old how he wanted his effects dis-

The second untelde is a present to i Daniel Flynn of Davenport, in. which arrived here at 10 o'clock Pri-day night. He tried to kill himself with arsenic in the depot, but was pre-Later he coraped and, after break

ng into the residence of J. M. Sey none and stealing a pair of scissors ried to stab himself.
Some time after midulght he wen bout one mile east of Sturgeon and after taking off all his clothe, drown

ed himself in a creek.

Coroner Parker of Columbia held a inquest Saturday afternoon. As none of his relatives are known,his body was taken to Columbia and will be held for

everal days before being buried. The suicide tried to jump off the and told the conductor if he could u cure a knife he would kill himself.

DRANK POISON BY MISTAKE.

Mrs. Kropp Swallows Fatal Draught at Louislana, Mrs. Louisiana, Mo.: Mrs. Lillian Kropp a young married woman of this city, drank carbolic acid by mistake Saturday at her home and died in a few

sinutes, in spite of heroic efforts of

three phaicians, who were promptly She has been taking modicines after meals, and after lunch put on her coat o go downtown. When called by her other she said: "Walt batil I take

my medicine. She went to a shelf, "and taking fown a bottle that contained carbolic sold, took a big swallow before sh discovered her mistake. Several anti-dotes were administered, but she was inconscious before medical assistance arrived. She had been married less

JUDGE RECONCILED COUPLE. Dismissed Proceedings and Bent The

Home Together. Nevada, Mo.: Judge Time week gave evidence of the fact that some times the law falls, where good advice will prove effective. Jiles Ashley and his wife became

eparated. They still loved each other when they appeared in court Friday. Ashley was being prosecuted for bandoning his wife, Judge Timonds left the bench after dismissing the proceedings and talked to the young people, urging them to return home together. The result was that the young people talked over their differences and patched them up. The cene was a most pathetic on

Joplin, Mo .: Peculiar circumstance are attached to the marriage of James N. Pendleton, aged 64, and Mrs. S. M. Tucker, aged 66, at Carl Junction Sunday. Over forty years ago, in an Eastern State, they were lovers, but ecame separated, and both were married. Mr. Pendleton came to Missour and settled at Aurora, his presen home. Mrs. Tucker and her husband also came West and located on a farm near Carl Junction. The two families lived within fifty miles of each other for over fifteen years without know ing it. Misfortune came to both of them, and a chance meeting on a train recently resulted in their marriage,

Foud Has Fatal Termination. Jackson, Mo.: Arthur Kinder. farmer, died Sunday from injuries received in an encounter on Friday last with a distant relative named Abso om Kinder, also a farmer, who fractured his skull with a fence rail, when they met in a public road. He died without regaining consciousness. It was the result of an old grudge. Both men were prominent. Absolom Kinder

Death Due to an Accident-

Monett, Mo.: F. J. Gibbons, a hard ware merchant of Monett, was accidentally shot last week and died soos after. Frank Smith, a young man had gone in the store to purchase some cartridges, and while loading his revolver it was discharged. The bullet struck the counter and, glancing hit Mr. Gibbons just below the right grein. Gibbons leaves a widow three small children,

Burglars Rob Trenton Store. Troy, Mo .: The store of John Due well at Trenton, Lincoln County, was

burglarized about 3 o'clock Saturday morning. Several hundred dellars worth of guns and ammunition and some cash were secured.

**Sunday School Convention** Butler, Mo.: The County Sunday School Association held its annual neeting here last week and a large crowd was in attendance. The Rev. Matt S. Hughes of Kansas City delivered the annual address.

Celebrate Golden Weddinfi, Montgomery City, Mo.: The Rev. R. S. Duncan and wife have been married 50 years last Saturday. Mr. Dup can is 72 years old and has been a minster in the Baptist Church more than

19 years. His friends held a reception it their home here. Convicted of Swindli Columbia, Mo.: J. P. Quinn was ound guilty Saturday and sentenced

o six years in the penitentiary. Quinn was charged with swindling Boone Count farmers with worthless cheeks. Heavy Frost at Chamole Chamols, Mo.: A very heavy frost,

the first of the senson here, appeared Sunday morning. The corn crop on the higher grounds will guffer. Thousands of acres of Missouri River bottom lands which were planted after the June flood will be damaged consid

Marshall, Mo .: The first heavy from and freeze came Sanday, too late to had been sick with stomach do material damage. Late corn is and became despondent. Abo

NEGRO FIRES INTO CROWD. One Killed and Several Wo

Mexico, Mo.: Abel Mitchell. tro aged 20, known as "Soney

put out. Saturday night he took his revolver, went to the dauge and while alf was guing meerily, began firing tute the crowd. After he had discharged every load in his pisto) and the smoke ed cleared away it was for Hayes was dead, a colored girl patted Snow" Morrill, sister of the mo was shot through the stomach: Beanle Phillips was shot through the eye and James Barker, a negro from Moberly, was shot through the arm. 'All of the ounded negroes will recover, orderer escaped. He is report widerer escaped. He is reported to well armed and will probably fight

JURY FAILS TO AGREE

Millionaire Is Held on Charge of Kitting Nine Owner. Joplin, Mo.: The jury in the inquest iching the death of Gordon Allem, din mine owner, who was shot and killed by Ben Aylor near Prosperity Friday night, has not been able to reach a rerdict. The evidence is in-Four want an open verdict and two want one of justifiable homicide. From the evidence introduced Allen had made repeated threats that he had en wronged by Aylor and would kill him, it is alleged that he made simthreats about several promi din men with whom he had been dealing. It is believed that Allen became desperate over financial losses. Aylor, the slayer of Allen, whose fath-

souri Postmaster is Sentenced. St. Louis: Peridon A. Vise, Postmater at Pair Dealing, Mo., was Saturday sentenced by Judge Adams of the Federal Court to two years in the State Penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$1,052.39, on a charge of embess the amount of his fine from the Gov. ernment. He had issued money orders to pay off his debts, expecting to be able to reimburse the Government. A Post Office Inspector arrived to go over the books of the office before Vise had time to make good the orders thus issued and his arrest and conviction followed. Vise turned over all his

property to the Government. Golden Wedding Celebration.

Monroe City, Mo.: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Pike celebrated their golden wedding Sunday with a big dinner Seventy guests were present, includ-ing four generations of the family They have ten living children, 52 grandchildren and three great-grandhildren. Two of their James Pike of Boulder, Colo, and Mrz John Williams of Cripple Creek, Colo. -came home to attend the celebra

Whisky Earrel Explodes.

er was injured in a strange way Friday. He had bought an empty whisky barrel from a local drug store and took it home to fill it with While he was boring a hole in the empty harrel with a red-hot poker it exploded with a report that was heard a mile. The top of the house was partly blown off and Hickman rounded in the face and breast.

Woman Lawyer in Supreme Court. Jefferson City, Mo.: The first wom an lawyer to appear in the Supreme Court to argue a case is Miss Gratia Woodside of Salem, Dent County, who appeared Saturday in the case of Har rison vs. Young, representing the re spondent. The case was dismissed for failure of the attorney for the appel lant to file a brief, thus permitting Miss Woodside to win her case without an oral argument.

Gainesville Corn Show.

Gainesville, Mo.: The Farmers' in stitute and Corn Show of Ozark Coun ty was held Saturday at Gainesville. About 500 persons were in attendance. Fifty-five entries of corn were on exhibition, Col. G. W. Waters, a repre sentative of the World's Fair Commission, and J. S. Prather and C. D. Lyon of Ohio, representative of the State Board of Agriculture, made addresses

Second Jury Fails to Agree. Kanses City, Mo .: The jury in the

case of Dr. Louis Zorn, a dentist on trial for the murder of Albert Bechrist his tenant, failed to agree on a ver dict and was discharged. The men quarreled over rent. In his dying stutement Sechrist said that Zorn had shot him without provocation. This was Zorn's second trial.

Montgomery County Teachers.

Montgomery, Mo.: The Montgom ry County Teachers' Association met here with a full attendance. State St perintendent Carrington and Professo Greenwood of Kansas City delivered addresses.

Hereford Breeders' Sale. Salisbury, Mo.: The combination mie of Hereford by the Central Missouri Hereford Breeders' Association last week was largely attended. Forty eight head were sold at an average of \$73.50 per head.

New Bank for Monett. Monett, Mo,: At a meeting of the

business men here lust week initiator; steps were taken for the organization of a State bank. A committee of bus iness men was appointed to solicit subscription for stock and the entire amount has been subscribed. Mississippi Receding at Louisiana

Louisiana, Mo .: The Mississippi is falling rapidly here and the water has receded from the overflowed land. If the land dries quickly wheat will be

Run Over by Freight Train. Hannibal, Mo.: George Schreel aged 17, of Sheridanville, Pa., was run over by a freight train on the Burlington south of Hannibal Saturday morning and both of his legs were cut off. There is no hope for his recovery

E. P. Dresser a Suicide. Platte City, Mo.: E. P. Dreser, dry goods merchant, committed sui-cide at his home here last week. He had been sick with stomach trouble

Missouri Doings | The Two Captains

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ful girl, "and aren't you likely

race," and he whipped a pistol out of

"You frighten me more than eve

Capt. Pope does," said Laurs, who had turned a little pale, though she

The cable man was pro

a locker and eank into thought.

On a sudden Pope's door opened and

CHAPTER XIX..... Crystal stood up. He had find reakfast, and at sea, when is

Ourselake, 1898; by P. P. Cullin

"A pity you didn't sail in any other hip than the Thetis, Laurs," said be and with a giance at Pope, that seemed enjoyolent owing to the shadseemed malevolent owing to the shadow with which his sear dyed it, he rudged up the abort steps "Crystal is not a good temps san," said Pope, softly, "He is in concern about me," at

Pope, leaning back, and gazing at her thoughtfully. "He was no poor when sand pounds—I include a certain draft which is sure to be honored. I accepted all the risks. I burdened myself with a painful memory. I found him a comfortable berth, and offered him a share in my fortune, and how does he repay me? He distilled that I should

even admire you—you, madam, who are so admirable that no man could behold you without adoration." Her cheeks were burning, but tainly not with displeasure. And now he exhibited great tact, for though he was alone with her he made no at-tempt to press himself, though I will not say that this might not have been owing in a small degree to the accident of his canting his eyes up to the skylight, through which he be

patient, piratic faces staring down at him and the girl. When everything had been conveyed on deck, Pope lighted a cigar and followed the men. He found all hands

held a number of surly, trritable, im-

The plunder had been heaped be-tween the skylight and the wheel, and

"You'll put us aboard?" rays Crye

out your throat first, man, yea, even as you slopt, before I parted with her. She'ss my bouty. She's my prine. She loves me.

away to the pile of plunder, and tal at the rail watched him und ary and essential feature was-and "No," roared Crystal in a tone that caused the evil-gred heissman to start and stare, "See this? 'tie this that will save the Crystals from dishe must stick to the bris

If was now for Pope to op nail bags and examine their con Crystal loft the bulwarks, aga

spoke stendily. "I would rather be eted by him than by you. You're in a had temper and look terrible Capt. Pope is all goodness and con-nideration, and I'll go downstairs until nd each was stuffed full. The co tents consisted of letters, newspi little parcels, and the like. Th nazoment of the square man, who need rooted, but swaying on his ong legs watching her sink through at packet of small diamonds. bills of exchange were met with. able for dinner. Laura ast down upon notes of the value of six hundred ounds. Sundry small packages co-

the captain stopped forth. He started (To be continued.) of h a look of transport on behold her, and instantly approached and seated himself at her side. He mad-A TRIUMPH OF DIPLOMACY. as if he would tale her hand, che himself, but self restraint fired his cheek with blood, and she thought he

looked handsomer than she had ever before seen him. "Is not all that booty I have been looking at upstairs enough for you?" said she, "Enough for me. But there are

"What will be your share?" "Say two thousand pounds," he an wored, smiling at these inquiries which were made charming to him by the beautiful face he looked at.

"Can you make the rest satisfy the men, so as to end this voyage and may permit your mother to think she is the man of the house just to humor save your lives?" "I cannot live upon the interest of ousand pounds," answered Pope

with a sigh, "and I shall not make the



the pirates made a considerable crowd | and enlarging my estate. But I on either hand of it. Pope, smoking a cigar, walked up to the pile of stuff, thus stationing himself between the mobs of men. He

"My lade, all that we have taken so far is here. There is gold in those cases. No call to count the coins. We know to a shilling by the ship's papers what the amount is." Sitting down on one of the cases

se pulled out a notebook and a pencil, and his men watched him in silence while he made certain calcula "I will not give you his figures; to

tell the truth I do not recollect them. I believe that he reserved one-third of the money for himself and brig, giving Crystal a fourth of the remainder and the rest to the men in equal portions, without regard to ratings. The old man who told me this story was not very clear on this head.

When Pope had called out the fig ures aloud, standing up to do so, and looking about him with a face of iron, he cried out, "You are satisfied, I

"Who's a-going to make the valution?" exclaimed a pirate, impatiently. "The capt'n-who else could?" says Bobbin, in the crowd, adding instantly, "always begging of Mr. Crystal's

It was noon before the worth of the things had been summed up. The mail bags had not been opened. Pope broke off to take sights with Crystal, and the men went below to dinner, two remaining to sentinel the booty. A melodfous voice sounded in the companionway, "May I come on

"An instant," roared Pope. caught the bell and shouted, "Strike "Eight bells," echoed Crystal, and while a pirate hammered eight silvery chimes out of the throat of a little green bell that hung close abaft the

foremast, Capt. Pope went along to Laura Crystal. "It is good to breathe this air after the atmosphere of the cabin," she ex-claimed, "and it is dull downstairs." Before Pope could answer, Crystal

trudged up-Pope paused a moment to look around the sea, and in that pause Laura's eyes rested upon his fine face, and Crystal noticed the look. quare man put down his quadrant, and he and Laura fell a-pacing the deck, Pope descending.

The cousins walked the deck for little while in silence. Crystal then uddenly said, screwing his eyes into the extremity of their sockets so as to observe the girl without turning "What d'ye think of Pope?"

"He's a very gentlemanly sailor," 'He's much too handsome, dignified and well-bred to be a pirate." Crystal's mouth widened in a gri but there was little or no mirth in the

"I hope," says he bluntly, now

ing his head to look at her fully, "that you're not going to fall in love with im. Eh! is it so? Has his blarney officen ye already?" He paused, breathing hard. "Curse me," he continued.
"If Jonathan Crystal is going to let ny relation of his marry a pirate." "Why not?" said Laura coolly. The Crystals are a respectable old

ally and pirates are hanged,"

Crystal in a low note.

touched," said he in his sweetest manner, "that you should feel anxious about my safety."

This was significant, and so her blushes; but if Pope at this moment intended to make love, his pasedge on their razor than any strop sion must be hindered by the intrasion of a round of salt, boiled beef. In fact, the cabin dinner was ready. Crystal was called, Grindal was shouted for and took charge, and the two captains and the young lady seated ko," but a high stone wall shuts out themselves. the view until coming to an open gate

It was plain from Crystal's face tha continued in a bad temper. Though Pope could not but cast from time to time an adoring glance at Laura, he refrained from making direct love to her under Jonathan's nose. When they of each iron pillar surmounted by were seated Pope said: "Miss Crystal is uneasy about you lamps, a cannon faces outward, and two Gurkha soldiers pace up and down

and me, Johnny; she would have us end the voyage before we're captured fraught with historical associations and hanged. I have told her that we for it has been the summer residence are not yet rich enough." of the Commander-in-Chief in India for "She need not trouble herself with fears of our being hanged," said Cryshart and White are associated with it.

"depend upon it in my death shall not disgrace those who bear my name. "How long is this voyage going to ast?" exclaimed Laura. "Long enough to satisfy the purpor

of it," replied Pope. "I am here to make my fortune. I have made no fortune as yet; nothing under ten thousand pounds will satisfy me. It Capt. Crystal is dissatisfied let him take his share and I'll shift him into the first ship we signal."

"My cousin goes with me," said Crystal. "Does she? does she?" exclaimed Pope. Then growing sensible that his power of self-restraint was abandoning him, he sprang to his feet and, making Miss Laura one of his courtliest bows, went up the companion steps, carrying himself with a grace which the girl thought no man had

ever surpassed. "All the same," says Crystal gloon ily and sullenly, "if I chift, as he calls it, you shift with me." You are not grateful, you are even gracious," she answered.

He said, with an oath, "You are in love with him." On which she rose and went to her

been a popular idea abroad that the not yet three bells; he drank two museum is in want of a kinghel strong tumblers of rum and water, nest and is willing to give \$500 fo then joined Pope on deck. Half a it. The result is that every spring score of the pirates had collected Dr. Sharpe gets a great num about the stuff. The rest of the crew kingfishers' nests sent to him and the were at this time slowly coming consignors are greatly disappointed ward though three bells had not been when he has to return them. Another struck. Pope stood with folded arm myth is still more foolish. It is that gazing down at the mail bags, but it well-known entomologist has paid was sure his thoughts were not with \$5,000 for a specimen of a fies. The them. Lifting his eyes, he saw Crystal, and without the least menace of manner, though without any hint of fact of the matter is that from threepence to sixpence only is the price commanded by any out-of-the-way excordiality, either, he put his hand upon the rugged man's shoulder, and ample of this lively domestic insect. frew him to the rail away from

"Ye don't want to go adrift, John "Not without my cousin."

"See here," says Pope, taking a tep so as to command Crystal's face. the Church of England, used the priest tells the parson, if you do not believe in my church you must ge to hell. And my father wo paraon's reply would be, if you do no believe in my church you must go to hell. For every man has a right his own opinion, Johnny, and if yo don't like mine, say the word. Poch

rounded on his bool and wa

CHAPTER XX.

ers which contained nothing but writng were flung overboard. One stout pened, secured by tape and green miling wax, was found to contain a uned articles of Jewelry.

low Lovelorn Youth Won Over Father of His Charmer.

o her, But I said 'No. Your father

er, but I have seen enough of him to

now that when a matter of impor-

ance comes up his strong will must

a ways assert itself. His strength of

are incapable of understanding what

Take her, and may you always be

THE BARBER IN JAPAN.

Uses No Lather, but Dips Razor Int

between his knees. Then he seizes a

very small razor, dips it into hot water

Historic Residence in India.

Lord Kitchener's house at Simla, In

lia, stands on the famous hill "Jak-

way a vista reveals the house and

grounds, and a flag-staff which marks

t as the residence of the Commander-

in-Chief. The gateway itself has a

military appearance, for at the base

shouldering rifles. This old place is

years. The names of Roberts, Lock

It is said that when Lord Kitchener

first visited Snowdon, as it is called,

last winter on a short visit to Simla

he pronounced it "a barn," and spoke

freely of the many changes which he

Lillian Russell is extremely fond of

inimals and surrounds herself in her

summer home with a variety of them,

among which is a magnificent dog of

A gentleman walking one day in the

vicinity of her cottage encountered a

colored maid accompanied by this col-

ossal creature. He stopped and in-

quired to whom the dog belonged.
"He belongs to my missus, Miss

"But are you not afraid of him?" he

"Lordy, no. He won't harm nobody.

He's just chock full of fun all the

"I dunno what kind-bleve my

Kingfisher's Nest Not Wanted. Dr. Bowdler Sharpe of the British

suseum says that for years there has

For Summer Wear

Paper gloves and stockings for st

mer wear are now being made in France. It is claimed that they will

last fully as long as ordinary stock-

Rooster Done Grey Feathers. Benjamin Fish, of Noank, Conn.

was a rooster which was formerly

Brazil's Coffee Crop.

unls fifteen sixteenths of the we

Brazil's crop of coffee this year

but which has lately turned

ings.

missus calls him a full-blooded Sam

"What kind of a dog is he?"

Bernard."-New York Times.

proposed to carry out.

the St Bernard type.

Russell," the maid replied.

asked

ever invented.

It is no light performance to shave

Hot Water.

little things, still---

"I have come," said the young man elment of the fisheries dispute with o ask for wour daughter's hand." Canada to Lake Erie. The proud banker gazed over hi James H. Tillman is acquitted of the glasses at the fellow and demanded: charge of murdering Editor Gonzales, the jury having deliberated on the Well, have you any means of sur question for 20 hours. "Alas! I am poor. But hear my

The five convicts who led the break at Fort Leavenworth in 1901 are "When I spoke to Claudia abou convicted of mullay and sentenced to oming to see you she told me it was the Psuitentiary for life. seless—that her mother was the man Charles M. Schwab has discontinued of the house, and that I had better g

> he has been building for the children the poor of New York. Fred M. Hans, a railroad detective convicted of murder in the sec degree for the killing of David O. Lune

rock on the luxurious sesside resort

character may not be brought out by King Victor Emanuel and Queen "My boy," interrupted the old genon their arrival at Paris, where they deman, patting him on the shoulder are visiting President Loubet. "I have known all along that you were The Missouri Synod of the Cumbernot one of those ordinary persons who

land Presbyterian Church adjourns at

at Ainsworth, Neb., in 1901.

Sedalia after adopting resolu is going on in the world around them. scoring dancing and card playing. Two Kankakee sisters raced to be he first to wed in order to get a legacy of \$2,000 left by an aunt to the who should be the first to marry.

The activity of Italian socialists has

caused the postponement of the Czar's visit to Italy, and it is even reported The efficacy of hot water in shaving is more fully appreciated by the peo-ple of Japan than in the United States. that he may not go to that country at all. apanese barbers shave nearly all of In six years Joseph Leiter, the exposed surface of a man's head. once attempted to corner wheat, has almost cleared off a \$3,000,000 indebt-They shave the ears, the outside and

edness incurred when the corner collapsed tim sits on a very low stool, while the The statue to General W. T. Sherbarber perches himself on a higher man is unveiled at Washington by a stool and takes the customer's head grandson of the warrior. President oseveit makes the principal speech

to China are rapidly increasing is abown by Commerce Department fig-Japanese gentleman. No lather is used, but a keen edge is kept constantly on the razor by dipping it into hot ures, which place the gain in two years water once or twice during the operaat \$3,400,000. tion. Men who shave themselves will The yellow fever epidemic at Lafind that hot water will put a better redo, Tex., is beginning to show the

effect of the work of the State Health Department. Fewer cases are recorded now every day. Daniel Leroy Dresser testifies that Charles M. Schwab wrecked the Unit-ed States Shipbuilding Company by withholding the profits of the Bethle

hem Steel Works. Suits have been entered for the Con solidated Lake Superior Company to have the agreement with Speyer & Co. set aside on the ground that the company never had the right to make it. John Mitchell, in a speech before the

non-union men to criminals. Straus asserts that 85 per cent of the wage earners of the United States belong to no union. Lord Roberts is highly displeased by Balfour's appointment of Bromley-Davenport to be Financial Secretary of the War Office and threatens to re-

sign his post as Commander in Chief of his Majesty's army. It is said that Secretary Root will recommend to Congress that the United States raise its own horses and mules on account of the inability of the department to buy enough service

able stock in the open market. An attachment is ordered by Judge Hazell of Jefferson City for W. D. Mahaney of St. Louis, who ignored a summons of the court to appear before the Cole County Grand Jury, which is investigating legislative booiling. Gordon Allen, a prominent young

mise operator of Joplin, Mo., was shot and killed by Ben J. Aylor of Webb City, at Prosperity, Mo., in a quarrel over mining property. Deut Pitts attacked his wife with a butcher knife at Anna, III., cutting her throat. His stepson went to the res-

cue of his mother and cut Pitts' throat. Both of them will die. Germany decides to delay the expan sion of the navy so that it will cover the 16 years contemplated in the original program. The army is soon to be supplied with new weapons.

A roster of the Confederate Army is under way in the Record and Pension Division of the War Department. Coples of all records are being made for complete list of Southern forces. Samuel Gompers, in a speech before the Civic Federation, warns employers igninat cutting wages if industrial rouble comes, saying that such action

will only make the crisis more acute. Macedonia has become quieter, the naurgents having been routed and all out annihilated by Turkish troops. The fugitives who have escaped into Sulgaria refuse offers of repatriation Japan has 100,000 men concentrated at Hakodate, the port from which an

strack could best be made on Vladivoseck, one of Russia's strongholds. Cole Younger accepts a compromise from the Younger-James show where-by his connection with the company is severed. All litigation is ended.

The Supreme Court of Missouri ren-iers its written opinion in the case of Editor Shapherd, who was fined for contempt for criticising the court. In brief, the tribunal declares that the fire was necessary to defend itself and maintain its proper dignity

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The annual report of the Register of

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Paducah, Ky., but go back to work

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" owned by a little Ralles e artivie enys; The perent das by the Prince of Naples to ner, the good and beautiful Questie of Italy, And a not of al gift it was for these two and ferorious as young tigers, and at all disposed to take kindly to svilly, though their prison was a reself to death in a cell in the Clayage in which they had traveled to was opened, they were nothing feel at finding themselves at court ight to the presence of royalty. Limst and raised their backs, as showed their displeasure in the na-tacided way. The king and queen as many of the ladies even got down ir kness and made all sorts of or ers slightly injured by the derailment of a train in the switching yards at on of peace; but it was of so u he strangers were not to be capit and at last were carried off, atili greeling and protesting, to the queen's era hig and processing, to the queen sees apartments, which were for the future to be their home. Now you might ortainly think they would be well on tent! but not so; they longed for the om of their native wilds. Perlags re they were king and queen the sives, and had ruled right reply over a mighty kingdom. Who in time they became accustome queen, and submitted without per-to her presence. It is seldon to so and gentleness do not over ome the wildow heart. But with the king they were ever the same as a

Beautiful Augure Con. In St. Nicholas there is at the

f a fine Augora cat, named

ret. They always growled and enaced, and raised quite a rebellion against ming into any room where they might be. After a while two little his tens came to make them feel more at some. Punsinella was one of these and, as you see, first opened her eye ty. Is it strange that her heart swellad with pride and coldness toward the less favored world; that the majestic wave of her tall showed a conscious ness of superiority; that she demanted and accepted as simply her right the best to be had? Remember, she is only a cat; might not many a little by or girl set in a way that was gotte as unreasonable? Pussinella was the prettier of the two kittens; a little, soft, pure white ball, with long, sliky hair, beautiful, big gray eyes, and tail not like any ordinary cat-no, in deed! Pussinelia's tall is as big as the and of a boa, and of a soft dove-color; and she has also one spot of the same pretty gray right in the middle of he ack. This is now about the size of a of course the spot was little, and s source of great annoyance to vain Pus sinella, who spent much time licking and licking and licking with her little pink tongue, trying to wash off what she thought was a blemish upon her beautiful white coat; but it stayed nerertheless, and is is a very pretty spot,

HAIR NETS ARE IN AGAIN.

mry to Keep the Athlette Cirls Locks from Coming Loose. me thirty-five years or so age Milady's hair was so arranged that a net for confining it was necessary. When the fashion changed the net dis-That exports from the United States see a revival. But the up-to-date athletic girl moves her head violently as well as her body, and an hour of exercise is more than likely to shake her hair tresses loose. Therefore the hair net has been revived for the pur-pose of keeping the Psyche knot in shape. Thue, after nearly half a cen-tury of disuse, and though thought to be permanently out of fashion, the hair not is coming in again. In merely masculine eyes this may not seem important, and many men have probably never noticed the note that are now being worn. But to womenkind it is a matter of great interest, for the new fashion has arisen suddenly, and It is quite radical. It comes over from Paris and is really a part and portion of the feminine athletic tendency of these times. Perhaps it may even mean the death of the present elaborate black hairpins. In any event it Civic Federation at Chicago, likens will follow that fewer of these halrpins are to be used, for the coming of the net signifies that the hairpin of tolay, as applied to the back hair of the nodern giri, has been a good deal of a faffure and can no longer be depended upon. It was all very well when girls walked and moved quietly. Then hairpins could do their work. But

## that her hair is "coming undone" and hence the hair net. SPOILED CHILDREN

now the athletic girl has constant fear

Usually Make Sickly Men and Women The "spoiled child" usually makes weak, sickly man or woman because such a youngster has its own way about diet and eats and drinks things that are unfitted for any stom-

ach and sickness results. "I was always a delicate, spoiled child and my parents used to let mo drink coffee because I would cry for it," says a Georgia young woman. "When I entered school my nervousness increased and my parents thought it was due to my going to school, so they took me out again. But I did not get any better and my headaches got worse and weakened me so that I was unfit for any duty. Sometimes I would go a whole day without any other nourishment than

"Last spring I had a bad attack of the Grippe and when I recovered I found that coffee nauseated me :2 could not drink it and even a few swallows would cause a terrible buraing in my stomach. It was at this time that a friend who had been much used it ever since and the results speak for themselves. I have gained 12 pounds and my nerves are as

steady as any one's. "I consider myself well and strong and I make it a point now to take a

ographer, who declares nothing strengtheas and refreshes her like Postum and she has a little oil stove

a cup of coffee.

benefited by the use of Postum suggested that I try this food drink. I found it simply delicious and have

cup of Postum with a cracker or two as soon as I come home from school in the afternoon. Postum with crackers or a biscuit makes my luncheon. It certainly saved my life for I know coffee would have killed me in time had a continued drinking it. "I have a young girl friend, a sten-

in her office and makes a cup of Pos tum at noontime. I have recommend-ed this wonderful beverage to many of my friends who know what it has done for me." Name given by Pos-tum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book "The Read to Wellyfile."